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**CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 14,

Line 42, "of greater then or equal to about  $17 \text{ m}^2$  at a wavelength of" should be -- of greater than or equal to about  $17 \mu\text{m}^2$  at a wavelength of"

Column 15,

Line 53, "19. The optical fiber of claim 18 wherein" should be -- 19. The optical fiber of claim 17 wherein --

Column 16,

Line 16, "20. The optical fiber of claim 18 wherein" should be -- 20. The optical fiber of claim 17 wherein --

Column 18,

Line 45, "that is more negative that -1.2%; and" should be -- that is more negative than -1.2%; and"

Column 19,

Line 15, "less that -50 ps/nm-km at a wavelength of about 1580 nm." should be -- less than -50 ps/nm-km at a wavelength of about 1580 nm. --

Line 18, "less that -75 ps/nm-km at a wavelength of about 1580 nm." should be -- less than -75 ps/nm-km at a wavelength of about 1580 nm. --

Line 21, "less that -120 ps/nm-km at a wavelength of about 1580 nm." should be -- less than -120 ps/nm-km at a wavelength of about 1580 nm. --

Line 24, "slope more negative that -2 ps/nm<sup>2</sup>-km at 1580 nm." should be -- slope more negative than -2 ps/nm<sup>2</sup>-km at 1580 nm. --

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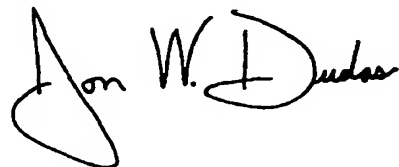
It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 20,

Line 7, "38. The optical fiber of claim 32 wherein the refractive" should be -- 38. The optical fiber of claim 37 wherein the refractive -- .

Signed and Sealed this

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A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized, with a large loop for the 'J' and a cursive 'D'.

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